

IMPROVEMENT OF LAND (ADVANCES).

RETURN to an Order of the Honourable The House of Commons,
dated 21 July 1870;—for,

RETURN "showing the Amount of PUBLIC MONEY Advanced in each Year, from 1846 to 1869 inclusive, to promote the IMPROVEMENT of LAND in *Great Britain and Ireland*, by Works of DRAINAGE or otherwise, under the Act 9 & 10 Vict. c. 101, or any subsequent Act amending or extending the same; the Rate of Interest charged on such Advances; and the Sums Repaid in each Year."

(*Mr. Dedds.*)

Ordered, by The House of Commons, to be Printed,
9 August 1870.

GREAT BRITAIN.

RETURN FROM THE INCLOSURE COMMISSION.

RETURN showing Amount of Public Money Advanced in each Year from 1847 to 1869 inclusive, to promote the Improvement of Land in Great Britain by Works of Drainage, under the Act 9 & 10 Vict. c. 101, and subsequent Amendment Acts.

Year ended 31st December		£.	s.	d.	Year ended 31st December		£.	s.	d.				
1847	-	94,704	-	-	1859	-	174,019	-	-				
"	"	1848	-	246,760	10	6	1860	-	180,391	0	8		
"	"	1849	-	808,297	-	5	"	"	1861	-	94,939	4	11
"	"	1850	-	282,470	10	2	"	"	1862	-	190,301	-	-
"	"	1851	-	310,794	7	3	"	"	1863	-	69,427	-	-
"	"	1852	-	418,039	14	11	"	"	1864	-	64,456	-	-
"	"	1853	-	334,116	16	3	"	"	1865	-	31,832	-	-
"	"	1854	-	316,220	7	4	"	"	1866	-	21,679	-	-
"	"	1855	-	294,647	15	7	"	"	1867	-	23,740	-	-
"	"	1856	-	267,827	-	-	"	"	1868	-	20,414	-	-
"	"	1857	-	300,443	-	-	"	"	1869	-	14,154	-	-
"	"	1858	-	193,091	-	-							
							£.	3,219,450	-	-			

Note.—The rate fixed by the Act of Parliament for repayment of the Drainage Loan, both principal and interest, was 6½ per cent. for 29 years. The Act does not distinguish how much is for principal and how much for interest, and for that reason the precise rate of interest cannot be stated.

Inclosure Commission,
29 July 1870.

James Caird,
Inclosure Commissioner.

RETURN FROM THE INLAND REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

RETURN showing the Amount of Public Money Advanced in each Year from 1846 to 1869 inclusive, to promote the Improvement of Land in Great Britain, by Works of Drainage or otherwise, under the Act 9 & 10 Vict. c. 101, or any subsequent Act amending or extending the same; the Rate of Interest charged on such Advances; and the Sums Repaid in each Year.

Period of Repayment.	Amount Paid into the Exchequer.	Period of Repayment.	Amount Paid into the Exchequer.
	£. s. d.		£. s. d.
Year ended 30th January 1849	- - 1,503 9 8	Year ended 31st March 1860	- - 211,100 - -
" " 1850	- - 17,038 6 10	" " 1861	- - 225,100 - -
" " 1851	- - 30,429 7 4	" " 1862	- - 227,500 - -
" " 1852	- - 55,840 9 2	" " 1863	- - 231,000 - -
" " 1853	- - 78,948 - 5	" " 1864	- - 237,000 - -
" " 1854	- - 100,500 7 5	" " 1865	- - 247,000 - -
6th January 1854 to 31st March 1855	101,028 12 2	" " 1866	- - 246,000 - -
Year ended 31st March 1856	- - 148,205 - -	" " 1867	- - 255,000 - -
" " 1857	- - 164,600 - -	" " 1868	- - 247,000 - -
" " 1858	- - 188,500 - -	" " 1869	- - 266,000 - -
" " 1859	- - 200,800 - -	" " 1870	- - 243,000 - -
		£.	3,762,300 12 13

Inland Revenue Office,
1 August 1870.

Fred. Gripper,
Accountant and Comptroller General.

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RETURN FROM THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC WORKS, DUBLIN.

RETURN showing the Amount of Public Money Advanced in each Year, from 1846 to 1869 inclusive, to promote the Improvement of Land in Ireland, by Works of Drainage or otherwise, under Act 9 & 10 Vict. c. 101, or any subsequent Act amending or extending the same; the Rate of Interest charged on such Advances; and the Sums Repaid in each Year.

A C T.	Year.	Amount Advanced.			Rate of Interest.	Amount Repaid.			REMARKS.
		£.	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.	
Act 9 & 10 Vict. c. 101	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	No advantage was taken of the provisions of this Act.
Act 10 Vict. c. 55, and Acts extending and amending same.	1847	61,602	10	-	5½ per cent.	-	-	-	
	1848	355,670	-	-	"	4,304	15	4	
	1849	375,079	5	5	"	24,912	19	2	
	1850	249,955	12	6	"	61,246	3	1	
	1851	160,396	1	5	"	84,280	2	2	
	1852	69,361	15	4	"	87,685	10	6	
	1853	53,955	6	11	"	91,237	17	1	
	1854	43,329	-	-	"	95,884	18	6	
	1855	63,909	9	4	"	90,405	16	-	
	1856	38,513	7	7	"	97,079	17	6	
	1857	27,573	9	10	"	102,429	11	11	
	1858	54,594	5	11	"	105,690	11	5	
	1859	39,334	-	-	"	111,905	15	3	
	1860	95,090	19	9	"	108,545	19	5	
	1861	95,656	-	-	"	105,491	1	9	
	1862	61,575	17	4	"	95,798	11	10	
	1863	57,809	-	-	"	100,769	7	5	
	1864	54,230	-	-	"	101,205	5	3	
	1865	53,450	-	-	"	106,595	9	7	
	1866	35,665	-	-	"	106,290	9	2	
	1867	54,075	-	-	"	110,379	10	5	
	1868	57,575	-	-	"	105,711	5	-	
	1869	80,595	-	-	"	112,267	16	5	
£.		2,044,315	4	4	-	1,290,551	5	8	

Office of Public Works, Dublin, }
29 July 1870.

W. B. Seady, Accountant.

IMPROVEMENT OF LAND (ADDITIONS).

NOTES showing the Amount of Private Money
Advanced in each Year, from 1826 to 1845, inclusive,
in pursuance of the Improvement of Land in Great
Britain and Ireland, by Means of Encumbrances
thereon, under the Act 5 & 6 Vict. c. 114, or
any subsequent Act amending or extending the
said, the Rate of Interest charged on such
Advances, and the Sums Repaid in each Year.

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